RUSSIANS DRIVEN BACK.

Mounted Outposts Forced in by Advance of Oyama's

Armies.

(By Associated Press.)
ST. PETERSBURG, May 8.—General Linevitch telegraphing from the front under yesterday's date, says the Japanese cavelry on May 4th, drove back the Russian mounted outposts.

ST. PETERBURG, May 8.—Interest is once more directed to Manchuria, the news from the front indicating that Field once more directed to Manchuria, the news from the front indicating that Field Marshall Oyama is pressing General Linevitch's advance posts east and west of the railroad, with considerable force as if about to undertake a general oftensive movement. The Russlans are oftensive movement. The Russlans are oftensive movement. The Russlans are oftensive movement are falling back upon their first line of defense. The Russlan advance post covers a front of about one hundred miles. The Russlan cavalry protect both wings, small bodies being probably beyond the Liao River, in Mongolia, to guard against a surprise turning movement in that direction. Experts believe, however, that Oyama's purpose is to thrust in from the east, turn Kirin, and interpose himself between Harbin and Vladivostok preparatory to the investment of the latter place. Linevitch's dispositions seem especially taken to meet such a plan. He would not give battle along his recent line but would gradually retire and draw in his forces as Oyama's strategy develops to the main Russlan positions,

M. Notovitch, editor of the Novosti was rearrested to-day and charged with the publication of statements subverserve of the existing form of government. He was released on \$500 bail. The extreme penalty for M. Notovitch's offense is exile to Siberia for three years. The basis of, the charge is the publishment of a statement of Maxim Gorkey's lawyer is defense of his client. The case is attracting particular attention, the Novosti being the leading Jewish organ in Russla.

SITUATION ACUTE

Great Britain Calls France to Task and Japan Renews

Complaint.

Complaint.

(By Associated Press.)

LONDON, May *8.—Verbal communications quite recently passed between the British and French foreign offices concerning the alieged toleration by France of breaches of neutrality on the part of the Russian warships in the FarEast. This was practically admitted to the Associated Press at the foreign office to-day, but the officials declined to enter into details on the subject. In the absence of official and definite information it is said that the verbinal communications were not unnatural, in view of the newspaper publications. From another source the Associated Press learned that Foreign Secretary Lansdowne communicated with the French ambassador in London and to the French foreign office through the British ambassador at Paris within a few days.

Relations Strained.

(By Associated Press.)
PARIS, May 8.—The critical tone of
the British press concerning France's
lieged breaches of neutrality in the
br-China brought an emphatic genti-statement to-day from the foreign
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the that the accusations are unfound-Dr. Motono, the Japanese minister France, went to the foreign office esterday evening; where he had an ex-ended interview with Foreign Minister Deleasse. The nature of their conver-sation was not disclosed, but it is un-derstood that Dr. Motono referred to Japan's Increasing impatience regarding the alleged breaches of neutrality. The fceling prevalls here that the situation is gradually assuming much tension. Reports are current that the positive in-structions of the French officials here receive perfunctory execution on the part of their subordinates in Indo-China, ow-ing to the individual sympathy existing of their subordinates in Indo-China, owing to the individual sympathy existing between the civil and naval French and Russian authorities. A semi-official note, issued this afternoon, says:
"Contrary to the allocation.

Russian assured this afternoon, says:
"Contrary to the allegation contained in a dispatch from Hong Kong to a foreign agency no only has the French government not disregarded the rules of the sanding its civilgovernment nob distregarded the training its civil-neutrality, but after sending its civil-and military agents very precise instruc-tions for the enforcement of those rules the government has unremittingly seen to their execution."

Columbia Street Railway.

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(By Associated Press.)

COLUMBIA, S. C., May S.—The Columbia Electric Street Railway, Light and Power Company is to acquire by purchase the Columbia aWter Power Company.

F. S. Anable, of Boston, and Francis K. Carey, of Baltimore, were here to-day perfecting the details of the transaction. An auxiliary steam plant, costing \$500,000, is to be erected to be used in emergencies, and the company is to supply motive power to the Yactories, mills, railway and other plants here. The Mercantile Trust and Deposit Company, of Baltimore, is to be trustee. The new Issue of bonds has been practically placed. The merger involves an investment of \$2,000,000.

Woodmen of World.

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(By Associated Press.)
CHATTANOOGA, TENN., May 8.—The
convention of the Swereign Camp
of the World will con-CHATTANOOGA, TENN., May 8.—The annual convention of the Sovereign Camp of the World will convent to morrow morning at Lookout Inn with Sovereign Commander J. C. Root presiding. The Sovereign Camp is composed of eighty-two delegates and four-teen officers. The Woodman Circle, the Wooman's Auxiliary organization, of which Mrs. Emma B. Manchester is the sovereme guardian, will open its annual convention at the same time in an adjoining Inll. The Woodman's Circle represents 39,000 members.

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AWAY FROM HOME

They Are Protected and Fed by Twin Boys Same Age.

DROWN THEMSELVES

The Boys Persuaded Them to Run Away Instead and Hid Them.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
RALEIGH, N. C., May 8.—Three days ago in Marks Creek township, six miles from Raleigh, twin sisters, Ida and Pear Ray, disappeared from their home and last night, when they were found two drown themselves in a pond about a half-mile from the home of their parents. They met the twin brothers and told them they were on their way to drown themselves, and the boys began to dis-suade them, with the result that they It develops that a number of the chil-dren in the neighborhood knew where the twins were, but kept their secret vere punishment they feared they would

receive at home.

NEW COMPANIES.

Blanks have been forwarded from the office of the adjutant-general of the North Carolina National Guard here to Louisburg and High Point for the pur pose of organizing military companies there for admission into the national guard. The Louisburg company is to come into the Third Regiment.

Sheriff Page, of Wake county, has just settled for all county and State taxes with the county commissioners, and makes remarkable record of having collected 9815-16 per cent. of all the taxes, State and county. It is not be-lieved that such a close collection has lieved that such a close collection has ever been made by a sheriff in the State before. The entire amount charged against the sheriff was \$177,498.43, and the amount turned over as collected by the sheriff was \$172,827.02. The allowfor insolvents and delinquents was

HURT IN RUNAWAY,
Amos Thomas, a well known farmer,
who lives near Raieigh, lies in a critical
condition at Rex Hospital here, suffering
from injuries received in a runaway here
yesterday. He was driving on Edenton
Street, when his horses became freight-

The game of ball that was to have been played here to-day between Trinity and Wake Forest, was postponed indefinitely on account of the continued critical illness of Mr. Washington Duke, one of the greatest benefactors of Trinity. Trinity,

CALL FIFTY MEN TO GUARD NEGRO

or not, the mob shall not take you, and I promise you that."

It is evident that the mob writed at a distance from the jail to ascertain through scouts what protection the prisoner had. As soon as the officers began to gazher, men with hats pulled low over their faces strolled slowly past the jail entrance, peering in with evident interest. These men were sharply ordered to move on and they went.

At 2 o'clock half the force was relieved, the remainder guarded the jail until day-break,

The mob evidently felt certain that the The mon evidently feet certain hat the prisoner was the guilty mran for little Ruth Pinchleck had yesterday morning identified the negro as the man who had assaulted her. Althought Johnson denies that he committed the crime and loudly pleads his innocease, the case looks black for him. The fell physician will have a weint late to tell on the stand and the weird tale to tell on the stand and the evidence is said to be heavily against the

The child will not be able to appear

Will Tender Reception.

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WASHINGTON, Masy 8.—The R. E. Lee
Chapter, United Daughters of the Confederacy, together with representatives of
all the other Southern organizations in
Washington, at a meeting here to-night
decided to tender a reception to the
Southern Industrial Parliament, which
will meet here, beginning May 23d. Mrs.
J. Hourseville, of Rome, Ga., former president of the national organization of the
Daughters of the Confederacy, addressed
the meeting.

UNVEILED TO-DAY

Its Dead Will

Mr. H. M. Smith to be Orator. Social Session Tonight.

At 5 o'clock this afternoon the Elks' nument, which marks the restingplace in Hollywood of Richmond mem bers of the order, will be unveiled with imposing ceremonies.

The committee having charge of the exercises are Messrs. Samuel (chairman), A. Y. Stokes, H. C. Epps,

(chairman), A. Y. Stokes, H. C. Epps, T. R. A. Burke and Frank T. Anthony. The date of the unveiling is the nineteenth anniversary of the organization of Richmond Lodge, No. 45, and this gives the occasion edded interest. The three members who now sleep in the plot where the monument stands are Messrs. George Ives, H. I. Ottey and William B. Jones. The monument is a life size cik in bronze, and is a handsome plece of work.

some piece of work.

The site is to the left of the Bayls section, looking east on the brow of the bill. The animal's head is turned toward the river. The figure is five feet high, and is on a pedestal seven feet high. The base is of dressed grantle, and the monument is as a whole a most striking one.

When to Assemble.

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The programme arranged for the ceremonles is a most interesting one.

The Elks' Rest Committee and the officers of the lodge will assemble at the home at 3:45 o'clock. All the members and visiting brothers will meet at the cast Hollywood gate at 4 'P. M., where the line of march will be formed. Iardella's Band will head the line, which will be well as a 4.20 B.

lardella's Band will hend the line, which will leave the gate at 4:30 P. M. The officers and the lodge come hext, followed by carriages containing persons who will participate in the order named: District Deputy Grand Exalted Ruler C. H. Banks and Exalted Ruler M. W. Lawrence, of Richmond Lodge, Mr. H. M. Smith, orator, and A. Y. Stokes.

Mayor McCarthy and H. C. Enns.

Wear Dark Clothes.

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The members will wear dark clothes and mourning badges.
Following is a list of the aides to Esquire Frank P. Burke, who will be chief marshal: Major L. G. Chentwood, Dr. J. Fl. Hinchman, Mr. Albert Anthony, Mr. Julian Bossleux, Dr. L. C. Bosher, Mr. James Hartley, Mr. Carl Ruehrmond, Mr. Waller W. Morton, Mr. John A. Lamb, William Rueger, Mr. W. A. Mann, Captain Morgan R. Mills, Captain George A. Ainsile, Dr. Stuart Metjulre, Monro Levy.
Lieutenant-Governor Willard, who is a

Lieutenant-Governor Willard, who is member of Alexandria Lodge of Elks, will be present at the unveiling expendite, and in the evening will attend the social session at the Elks. Home, He will speak on the "Social and Charitable Features of the Elks."

The officers of the ledge are as follows:

The Programme.

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M. W. Lawrence, exalted ruler; Thos. B. Hicks, esteomed leading knight; Jno. T. Anderson, Jr., esteemed loyal knight; Max. F. Linder, esteemed loyal knight; Max. F. Linder, esteemed lecturing knight; T. R. A. Burke, secretary; Jno. Stamper, treasurer; Jacob F. Crone, tiler; W. T. Yarbrough, chaplain; Frink P. Burke, esquire; Trustees—Henry A. Williams, Jos. Stumpf, Thos. B. McAdams.
The programme arranged is a most imperative one. It will begin with an overture by lardella's band, "How Firm a Foundation." The lodge will then be formed by Exalted Ruler M. W. Lawrence and Esquire Frank P. Burke Invocation by Dr. E. N. Calisch; Music; Dialogue of officers; Hymn, "Rock of Ages"; Further dialogue; Address by District Deputy Charles H. Banks; Music; Unveiling by Miss Irene Kain, a nelce of the late Joseph W. Laube, past exalted ruler, who selected the site; Music; Introduction of H. M. Smith, orator, by Mayor McCarthy; Music; Closing exercises by the lodge; Benediction, by Dr. E. N. Calisch; Music; "Home, Sweet cises by the lodge; Benediction, by Dr. E. N. Calisch; Music, "Home, Sweet Home."

hester Lodge last night.

MURDEROUS ASSAULT.

Foreman Attacked With an Axe by a Negro.

by a Negro.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

RUCKERSVILLE, VA. May 8.—Wallace Douglass, foreman for T. B. Jennings, of the Ruckersville Tie and Stave Company, was seriously injured by a negro named Josse Will'ams Thursday. The hands were all in the woods getting lark, and Douglass told the negro that the others were working and he must work. The negro cursed and Douglass urned to go and tripped and fell, when the negro cut him on the leg, seve ing the large leader in the foot and cutting off a piece of both the cutting him in the hip, and would have injured him further, but the other negroes prevented.

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FINALS NOW ON AT THE SEMINARY

stalled To-night as

HAVE IMPOSING CÉREMONIES SOCIAL EXERCISES YESTERDAY ADVANCE COPIES ARE OUT

Dr. and Mrs. Smith Entertain Fine Showing Made in Collec-Young Ministers-Professor McAllister Installed.

The annual commencement of the Union Theological Seminary is now in session and the exercises are being well at tended by city people.

At S o'clock last, night, in the Seminary chapel, the Rev. J. Gray McAllister was formally inaugurated as adjunct professor of the Hebrew language, Mr. Mc Allister has fuithfully and efficiently filled this chair during the session just closed having been chosen to that position by he board of trustees last May. charge was delivered to Professor Mc-Allister by the Rev. J., W. Rosebro, of Fredericksburg, who spoke with feeling and emphasis in endeavoring to impress upon the recipient of the charge the great burden of responsibility which was devolving upon him in entering upon a position in which he would have such a splendid opportunity for touching and strengthening the life and character of the young men of the Christian ministry. Professor, McAllister accepted the important trust in a choice presentation of the origin, containt, character and purthe origin, contents, character and pur-pose of "the One Book," which has for so many years served as the text-book of Union Theological Seminary.

Dr. Smith Entertains.

From 9:30 to 11:30 o'clock the retiring class of the Seminary and a few friends were delightfully emertained at "Bright cluss of the Seminary and a rew Irelinease were delightfully entertained at "Bright-side." the beautiful home of Dr. and Mrs. James Power Smith, in the Seminary community. This was an occasion long to be remembered by the young men, who have just-completed a three years stay in the Seminary, during which time the hospitable home of Dr. and Mrs. Smith has always been open to them, and a cordial welcome always extended, which will be, a most pleasant memory to the young ministers as they so to take up the labors and responsibilities of the active work in their several charges. A most pleasant social feature of the commencement season at Union Thoological Seminary, took place yesterday afternoon in Westminster Hall from four until 7 o'clock. The occasion was a re-

afternoon in Westminster Hall from four until 7 o'clock. The occasion was a reception given by Mr. Andrew Reid Bird, a member on the graduating class, in honor of his subter, Miss Saille Bird, of Baltimore, the praerents of these two charming young people, Mr. and Mrs. W. Engeworth Bird, of Baltimore, also being present. There were present as guests of the occasion, Mr. Bird's fellow students of the several classes of the seminary, including the wives of the married students; members of the seminary faculty and their, families, together with many of Mr. Bird's numerous friends in the seminary community and in the city. Miss Bird was gracefully attired in white and pink crepe de chine and received in a

Miss Bird was gracedury attrict which and pink crepe de chine and received in a most charming manner.

Dr. W. W. Smith will be installed as president of the seminary to-night at 8 o'clock, and Rev. Dr. Egbert W. Smith, of Greensboro, will deliver the inaugural

of charge.

The trustees of the seminary will meet this morning.

Dx-Governor J. Hoge Tyler is in the

Board Orders Changes.

The Board of Fire Commissioners held their monthly meeting in their room in the City Hail last night at 8:30 o'clock.

Present were: John H. Frischkorn, president; and Commissioners L. C. Jenkins, Charles Keppler, Robert Lecky, Jr. Joseph L. Levy, T. M. Perkins, Charles F. Taylor and G. W. Taylor; also Chief W. G. Puller, Superintendent W. H. Thompson, Assistant-Chief C. C. Shaw, and Secretary L. S. Jones.

A. D. Fensom was appointed a substitute on prohation in Engine Company No. 3.

The following changes were ordered in the force of the department; E. P. Crump, of Engine Company No. 2, from fireman "B" to fireman "C" and C. Jacobini, of Truck Company No. 2, from fireman "C" to fireman "B" in Engine Company No. 4, and D. F. Kerns, fireman "C, was transferred from Engine Company No. 4 to Truck Company No. 2; affective from July 1st.

After transacting other routine business the board adjourned. Board Orders Changes.

To Summon Mr. Landstreet.

Mr. John Landstreet, of this city, former president of the Independent Tobacco Manufacturers' Association of the United States, will be called to testify in the investigation which the government is making of the big tobacco trust. Mr. Landstreet has not yet been summoned, and the report that he will be comes from New York. He says he has no information regarding the trust other than current report.

report.
Air. Landstreet is vice-president of the R. A. Patterson Company, and until recently was president of the independent association.

Swanson Returns.

Hon. Claude A Swanson returned last night from Louisa Coutthouse, where he made an address in the interest of his candidatey for the gubernatorial nomination. He spoke to a large crowd and expressed himself as much gratified with his reception by Louisans, and will probable to-day in Richmond, and will probable attend the Elk's memorial celebration to-day. He will go to Bertley, via. on Wednesday to Monwer Shaw Camp of Confederate Veterans.

Another Transfer Case.

Major Johnson, colored, was arrested yesterday on the charge of declining to pay his street on fare. He alleged he had a transfer, which the conductor claimed was the wrong one for the car. Justice John will hear about it forday. The was the second case of the kind yesterday, G. H. Mosby was arrested yesterday on the charge of being disorderly on a street car. He will answer to Justice John this morning.

Boy Fell From Tree.

The little son of Mr. Charles Lyle, while playing in the yard of his to as on Grove Avenue, fell from a tree and painfully bruised himself yesterdiy. His injuries were not considered gerious. Miniatures of Lovely Women. Mrs. Presion-Presion, a talented artist, of New York, is at the Jeffærson. Mrs. Presion-Presion wishes to paint miniatures of Richmond women. She is introduced to Richmond by Mrs. Sara A. Pyron, of New York, who speaks in the highest terms of her as an artist.

Meeting of Police Board. The Police Board's meeting for to-mor-row night has been changed to Thurs-day night. This change was made in deference to the wishes of several mem-bers of the board, who have engagements for Wednesday night.

COMMISSION IS DOING FINE WORK

Order to Mark Place Where Dr. W. W. Moore Will be In- Second Annual Report Is Made to the Gover-

tion of Taxes and Fees.

Advance copies of the second annua report of the State Corporation Commission have been received from the printer public distribution.

It is made by the commission to the Governor of Virginia, and is full of in-

teresting matter. After reviewing the work of the com mission in detail, the report speaks thus

of the subject of banks: At the close of business on the 10th day of November, 1904, there were 19 incor porated banks in the State, of which six were conducted by colored persons. The aggregate of all capital stock paid in was \$8,813,833.30; the aggregate of the surplus funds was \$2,507,3647; the aggregate amount reported as undivided was in the surplus funds. amount reported as undivided profits less amount paid for interest, taxes and cur rent expenses, \$2.567,456.26; the aggregate of all deposits was \$36,161,084.53.

Loans and Discounts.

On the other hand, the aggregate of loans and discounts was \$36,231,162.72; the aggregate of all stocks, bonds and mort-gages owned by the banks was \$5,001,788.51 gages owned, by the banks was \$5,00,168-31 the aggregate value of all\banking house, was \$554,895.52; the aggregate of other real estate was \$300,404.55; the aggregate of furniture and fixtures was \$222,591.93 the aggregate of actual cash resources is

as follows: Checks and other cash items..\$ 264,890 29 Due from state banks and

Other Items of resource

turbance.

The big department store of Rothschild & Company for the first time since the strike began loading their wagons in State Street this morning, using police and deputy sheriffs for protection. When it was found that they could not be supplied with the necessary number of deputies numbers of their employes were sworn in as denuty sheriffs. This were sworn in as deputy sheriffs. procedure was adopted by many of the nouses, and the sheriff by night had

houses, and the sherii by ment had 1,150 deputies at work.

Charles A. Stevens & Brothers sent out all of their wagons to-day, and made deliverles throughout the city without interruption. Marshall, Fleid & Company; Siegel, Cooper & Company and Mandel Brothers had out the greater number of their wagons, and made denumber of their wagons, and made de liveries within a somewhat limited area Fifteen hundred wagons, manned by non-union men, were operated from State Street to-day, and the number will be materially increused to-morrow. No more colored men are to be hired by the Employers' Teaming Company Individual contracts are made with all men hired, and they will be given per-

Several Fatally Hurt.

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The rioting to-day was of a sharper character than that of Saturday. Three men were fatally Injured and a number of others were hurt. Most of the afternoon. William O'Day, a colored teamster, to-night was driving south in an alley west of Stewart Avenue, botween Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Streets, whon he was attacked by Albert Enders, who struck him with a stone. O'Day drew a revolver and fired twice. Both bullets took effect in Enders's body. O'Day was arrested. The Hansell Alcock Company, O'Day's employers, are not involved in the teamsters' strike, and there was no occasion for Enders's attack.

The elvic commission, appointed by Mayor Dunne to investigate the strike, commenced operations to-day, it did little business but organize for future work, however, and the promise for the success of the performance of its mission does not seen bright. It has not the power to summon witnesses, and, therefore, rely on volunteered testimony.

STRUCK BY TRAIN.

Ernest Newcomer Badly Injured and May Lose an Arm.

and May Lose an Arm.

(Special to The Times-Diseated)

IRON OATE, VA., May 8.—Mr. Ernest.
Newcomer, mineteen years old, who has been employed at the furnace here, was in Clifton Forge Saturday night, and on his way back home was struck by train No. 2, which broke his right arm in several places and brussed his body.

He was taken to the railroad hospital in Clifton Porge on a stretcher. It is believed he will lose his arm.

Austin, the little two-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. James Francis, went into the stable, where a horse jumped over the manger, striking the child in the small of the back, bruising him badly.

"Nervous Prostration."

The Richmond Academy of Medicine and Surgery will have its regular session to-night at the T. P. A. building, "Nervous Prostration" will be discussed as follows: Symptoms and Diagnosis—H. H. Levy, M. D.; Treatment—J. A. 10dges, M. D.; Static Electrical Treatment—R. W. Miller, M. D. Dr. M. E. Nuckols will also speak.

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HAMMOND,

greater distinction. Although the day was far spent and the andience had already listened to five other speeches, Captain Willard was given strict attention and made a happy impression. He discussed public education, an improved public road system, committed himself clearly and strongly in behalf of maintaining the efficiency of the corporation commission in this State and pledged himself, if elected Governor, to dedicate his time and talent to the public welfare and to the advancement of Virginia in all matters that made for a better civilization and for greater achievements in every lion and for greater achievements in every line of practical endeavor. Captain Willard made friends and

captain windra mane frence collected many kindly expressions, even from those who are committed to other candidates for gubernatorial honors, The School Register.

The School Register.

To-day's programme was ended with a brief address by Mr. J. D. Eggleston, Jr., one of the candidates for Superintendent of Public Instruction. Mr. Eggleston took lesue with the State School Board upon the single list book question, urging that the multiple list adopted by the board was more expensive to the people of the State than a single list would be. He claimed to have been widely misunderstood and misreported in regard to his comment on the school register matter. He distinctly disclaimed having impenched, or in any way intended to dispurage, the State Board of Education in respect to this affair.

parage, the State-Board of Education are respect to this affair.

His criticism, he said, was directed, not at the State Board of Education, but at the educational department of the State having immediate knowledge of the circumstance and enjoying every opportunity to notice and correct the imposition of which he made complaint.

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In other words, Mr. Eggleston made it clear that his charge was almed at the Superintendent of Public Instruction and his corps of assistants at Richmond. He said if these gentlemen did not know that seventy-five cents was an excessive price for the school register, which the public school teachers of Virginia are compelled to use, they are not competent to fill the positions which they occupy, and if they did not know it was an extertionate charge and took no measures to correct it, they ought to be turned out of the positions which they hold.

Mr. Eggleston spoke carnestly and proclaimed not only his willingness, but his eagerness, to appear before the Stateboard and have his charges of dereliction or incompetency investigated. or incompetency investigated.

CANDIDATES WITHDRAW.

A Mock Marriage of Much Interest-Educational Meeting.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

ROCKY MOUNT, VA., May 8.-Dr. W.
P. Reese has withdrawn as a candidate
for the House of Delegates from Franklin ounty.
Mr. L. W. Anderson has also declined to
become a candidate for the same office

county.

Mr. L. W. Anderson has also declined to become a candidate for the same office on account of business and professional engagements. This leaves the field to Messrs. Ross and Brown, though it is understood that several will announce their candidacy later.

Gabriel Prillaman, of Brown Hill, this county, was attacked and gored by a victous bull, which almost disembowled him. Dr. M. P. Dillard, his Shysician, thinks there is little hope for his tecovery. Thomas W. Saunders, eldest son of Judge Saunders, a student of V. P. I., is at home sick with typhoid fever.

A 'Mock Murriage' was celebrated at the residence of County Treasurer P. D. Divers, in this place, on Thursday night last, the contracting parties being Miss. Elsie Gillam, of Lynchburg, and Dr. A. Dek. Wood, of Rocky Mount. The handsome couple entered the spacious parties of Mr. Diver's handsome new home to the inspiring strains of Mendelsohn's Wedding March, and were met at an improvised altar by the pastor, Mr. H. N. Dilard, who performed the ceremony Mr. Newton Carroli was hest man and Miss Sallie Saunders was maid of honor. The happy pair were cordially congratulated, but the congratulations were of the windy order and didn't stick, Miss Gilliam is a handsome and accomplished young lady, and is one of the acknowledged belis of the "Hill City." She consented to engage in this sport at the request of her host, Miss Garrett, in order to raise funds for the benefit of a church enterprise. Each wedding guest as they entered the hall contributed a small sum to this worthy purpose, the total amount realized being about fifteen dollars.

The pol, iax of both Democrats and republicans are pretty well paid up in this county.

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Some weeks ago Charles W. Scott, of Lynchburg, sent a communication to the editor of the Times-Democrat of this place, offering to contribute five hundred dollars for the improvement of the fown cemetery, provided the citizens should raise a like sum for the same purpose. The fadies of the several churches of this place have taken this matter in hand, and will no doubt prosecute to a successful issue. A Primitive Baptist Association is in session at Lynville, this county, and is largely attended by people of all denominations and by many candidates.

Much preparation has been made for a public school meeting, which is to be held here on May 10th. A great crowd of people, it is expected, will be present. Much regret is felt that Dr. Alderman, president of the University of Virginia, who was hooked for a speech on that occasion, will be unable to attend on account of sickness.

...FLORIST... 109 East Broad Street.

MARTIN MAKES

FINE IMPRESSION

(Continued from First Page.)

With, but, in any event, there will be no walkover for awybody in Campbell county. At the conclusion of Senator Martia's speech. Coloned J. Risque Hutton paid a graceful tribute to Lieutenant Governor Willard, and then presented the latter to the audience as a young man of exceptional merit, with a worthy ambition to serve his State in a place of still greater distinction. Although the day wasfar spent and the audience had already for the may v.sit Danville the single way wasfar spent and the audience had already was far spent and the audience had already the first their greater distinction. Although the day wasfar spent and the audience had already was the first three greater (Cartin Language and the audience had already was the first three greater (Cartin Language and the audience had already was the first three greater (Cartin Language and the first three greater (Cartin Language and the speak at the court-house on Thursday, court day.

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The judge's correspondence has grown enormously during the past few weeks, requiring two assistants all the time and three the greater person of the time to keep up with it.

MANY BITTEN.

Rabid Dogs Attack a Number of People in Greensboro.

People in Greensboro.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

GRDENSBORO, N. C., May 8.—A dog bit seven people and a number of other dogs on Brugg Street this evening. As small child of Mr. Stewart Fenfress wish badly bitten, and her father leaves with her to-night for Pasteur treatment at Richmona. The dog was apparen ly rand and its head has been sent on for examination. Physicians have cauterized the wounds of the others who were bitten, and a general raid on dogs of that section of the city is being made by policementonight. Two mad dogs were tilled last week, after having bitten often of the dogs killed last week, and she was atiled this morning while having convulsions. The Stewart child was bitten on the face and her nose has a bad wound, where the crazy animal's teeth penetrated. The eog was of the fice breed, and the physician says from what he has learned to-night, had been showing every sign of rabees since yesterday, but no attention was given to him.

BOY KILLS FATHER.

Shoots Him While He Is Beating His Mother.

(Special to The 1 mes-Dispatch.)
HENDERSON, N. C., May 8.—Minor
Perry, colored, overseer of 199 acres of
land, had a quarrel Sunday with his wife,
and while beating her their son ran up
with a gun and shot the nean, killing him
nstantly, besides wounding the mother and

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ple, it is expected, will be present Much regist is felt that Dr. Alderman, president of the University of Virginia, who was booked for a speech on that occasion, will be unable to attend on account of sickness.

JUDGE MANN

(Special to The Tones-Diseatch)
NOTYCOWAY, VA., May S.—Judgé W. II.
Mann returned to his home shere on Saturday from Lynchburg, where he spoke